



CASA

Court Appointed Special Advocates
FOR CHILDREN

CASA OF THE RIVER REGION

SUMMER/FALL 2023

NEWSLETTER

CASA of the River Region

SERVING JEFFERSON, BULLITT, HENRY, OLDHAM, SHELBY,
SPENCER & TRIMBLE COUNTIES

CASAS NEEDED!

WE NEED YOUR HELP IN JEFFERSON, BULLITT, HENRY, OLDHAM, SHELBY, SPENCER, AND TRIMBLE COUNTIES!



164 CHILDREN ARE WAITING FOR A CASA

In our community, there are children who have endured unimaginable hardships due to abuse and neglect. As a Court Appointed Special Advocate (CASA) volunteer with CASA of the River Region, you have the power to make a lasting impact on these children's lives. Join us in serving Jefferson, Bullitt, Henry, Oldham, Shelby, Spencer, and Trimble Counties and become an advocate for these vulnerable children who need you more than ever. You can start the journey to becoming a CASA any time by visiting www.casarr.org/volunteer or by joining Eugina Scoggins, Director of Recruitment for a Cookies & CASA Q & A session on Wednesday, September 6th at 6pm at CASA's office located at 982 Eastern Parkway. Bring a friend! Email eugina@casarr.org for more details.

UPCOMING EVENTS: Mark Your Calendar

JOIN US FOR

cookies & CASA

Wednesday, September 6th
6:00 pm
CASA Main Office

Join us at

CASABLANCA

FRIDAY | 6 PM | OCT 13, 2023

Speed Art Museum

2035 S. 3rd Street, Louisville, KY 40208
www.casarr.org/casablanca

PRESENTED BY

Rotary South Oldham

CASA OF THE RIVER REGION

SUPERHERO RUN

Saturday, October 28th
City of Pewee Valley
10:00 am



2022 IMPACT REPORT



95% of children found permanent, stable housing through reunification, adoption, or guardianship.



604 CHILDREN SERVED



58 NEW VOLUNTEERS TRAINED



210 VOLUNTEERS PAIRED WITH A CASE

86% of CASA volunteers from last year continued to advocate for kids in 2022.



To view CASA's complete 2022 Impact Report, visit www.casarr.org/impact2022.



NONPROFIT VISIONARY: William Myers

Louisville Business First's Nonprofit Visionary Leader Awards honor outstanding executive directors or presidents/CEOs of Louisville area nonprofits. Join us in congratulating CASA's own William Myers for achieving this recognition!

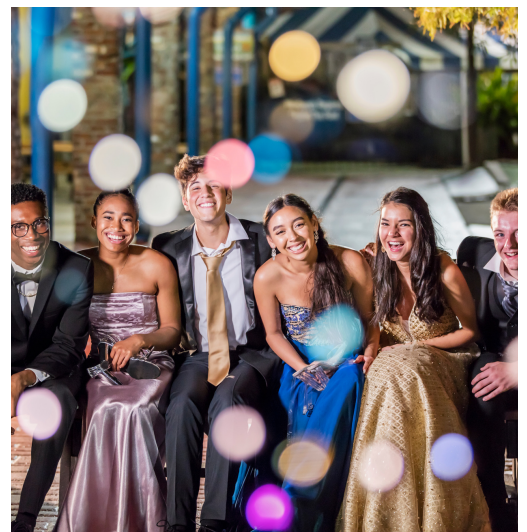
In his 10th year at the helm of CASA of the River Region, William's innovation, leadership, and dedication have certainly been impactful in our organization and community.

CASA IMPACT STORY: A Night to Remember

Ellie*'s truancy issues were the result of staying home to care for her terminally ill father. During spring of her junior year, when classmates were preparing for college visits & prom, Ellie was dealing with the loss of a parent, relocating to a new placement with a relative she barely knew, & struggling to catch up in school.

Ellie's CASA was there to support her, listened to what she was going through, & helped her create a manageable plan to start getting her education back on track. Although she had made some progress, Ellie's grades were still too low to allow her to take part in prom.

Determined that Ellie would not miss out on yet another normal teenage experience, her CASA went to the principal to advocate for her. Thanks to the help of her determined CASA, Ellie and her date had a wonderful time at prom dancing and being with friends.



*Name & identifying details changed to protect privacy.



WELCOME CASA'S NEWEST BOARD MEMBERS

Pictured left to right: Callie Baumann, Tara Brown, Josephine Durbin & Keith Towbridge.

With the help of our partners at Kroger, UPS & WHAS11, more than 100 CASA kids were able to receive all of the supplies they needed to successfully get back to school! WHAS11 promoted the supply drive. Items were collected at select area Kroger stores, then delivered to CASA by UPS. Thank you to these wonderful partners & to all of our generous donors!



INTRODUCING OUR NEWEST STAFF MEMBERS



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SEPTEMBER 14TH**

24 hours of online
giving returns!

Your gift to support CASA during
Give for Good Louisville will get a boost
thanks to prize dollars & match funds!

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more!



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